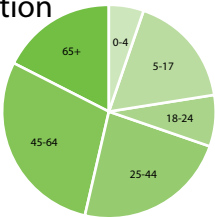


Blackford County

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Indiana State Department of Health

Total Population
12,766



Population by age group

Hispanic 117
White..... 12,470
African American 49

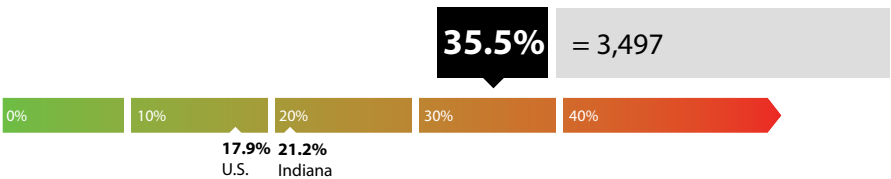
Population by race

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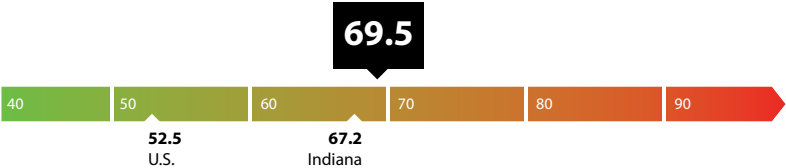


TOBACCO AND HEALTH IN BLACKFORD COUNTY

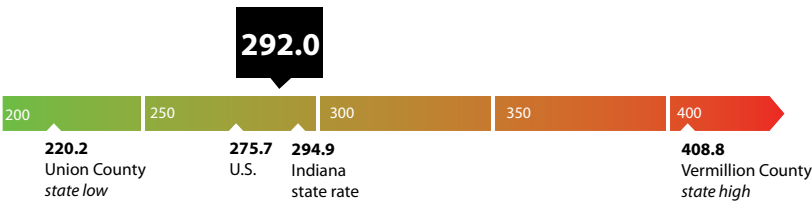
Percent of adults who smoke



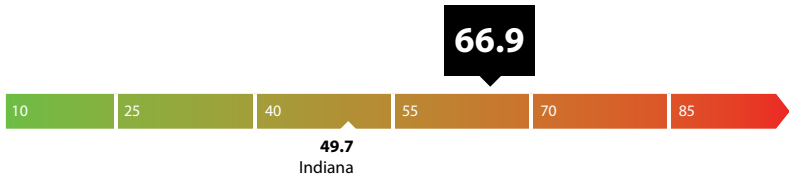
Lung cancer deaths per 100,000 residents



Cardiovascular disease deaths per 100,000 residents



Asthma related emergency room visits per 10,000 residents



Smoking and pregnancy

Births affected by smoking 51

low birth weight, SIDS, reduced lung function

Cost of smoking related births \$88,206

Percent of pregnant women who smoke

Indiana 18.5%
Blackford County 32.7%

Smoking deaths

Deaths attributable to smoking
22

Deaths due to secondhand smoke

3
Economic burden of secondhand smoke: \$785,237

Smoking related illness

450

TOBACCO CONTROL FUNDING

The CDC recommends the Indiana government spend **\$78 million** each year on tobacco prevention and control programs.

Actual spending in Indiana: **\$10 million**

\$4.8 billion

Economic cost in Indiana due to smoking, according to the Centers for Disease Control.

Cost per Indiana citizen: **\$740**

For the 2011-2013 grant cycles, there is not a funded tobacco prevention and cessation coalition. Please contact the Tobacco Prevention and Cessation Commission of the Indiana State Department of Health at 317.234.1787

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